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Applicant(s): Daniel C. Edelstein, et al.

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Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
10/707,713	1/6/04	Alexander O. Williams	32074	2826	1712

Invention: Compliant Passivated Edge Seal for Low-K Interconnect Structures

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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CENTRAL FAX CENTER****FEB 04 2005****Date:** February 4, 2005**In re Application
of:** Daniel C. Edelstein et al.**Filed:** Jan. 6, 2004**For:** COMPLIANT PASSIVATED EDGE SEAL FOR LOW-K
INTERCONNECT STRUCTURES**Serial Number:** 10/707,713**Art Unit:** 2826**Examiner:** Alexander O.
Williams**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111**

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Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed November 4, 2004,
Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments and remarks into the
file of the above-identified application.

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